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Amendment on page 3, in paragraph starting in line 5

By turning the knob (2) each flow setting can be accurately selected and using the bosses(10), correlated by position to open the normally closed valves or not by camming contact against the pistons (7) or avoiding such contact, the former bosses (10) identified as exemplary by the reference letter X and the latter bosses (10) by the reference letter 0, are provided on the underside of the knob (2), the exemplary binary position illustrated in Fig. 2 being position 1 or X000. In this manner the rotational operating mode of knob (2) depresses the appropriate piston(s) ~~(10)~~ (7) to generate the selected flow automatically, thereby obviating manual operation of on-off switches as in the noted Wilks patent.

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